

Daryl Blough

Full Stack Web Developer

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Full-Stack web developer with a strong foundation in front-end and back-end technologies. Eager to learn and grow, I am always looking for new opportunities to challenge myself and develop my skills. Seeking a challenging position where I can contribute my skills and enthusiasm to a team, and have a positive impact on the company's success by developing innovative and user-friendly web applications.

SKILLS

Front End

JavaScript, React, HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, WordPress

Back End

Node JS, SQL, Express, GraphQL
RESTFUL API, MongoDB, MySQL

Tools

GitHub, Git, Webpack, PWA, JWT

EDUCATION

Full Stack Web Development Bootcamp / [University of Birmingham - UK](#) Jan 2023 - July 2023

Comprehensive, certified course covering both Front End and Back End technologies.

Relevant Course Project ([Live project here](#)): Built a MERN application similar to Airbnb with:

- JSON Web Token powered user authentication, authorization, and data exchange.
- MongoDB and GraphQL for a fast and flexible data access layer.
- React framework in conjunction with Redux for state management.
- Google and Mapbox API integration for location-based features, and Stripe API for payment processing.

Graduated with 96.13%, certificate available

High School Diploma / [The Mount Academy - New York, USA](#)

Sept 2013 - June 2017

Relevant Subjects: Algebra (A), Geometry (A+)

Graduated with a 3.78 GPA

EXPERIENCE

Web Developer Assistant / [Nova International Group - London, UK](#)

Sept 2023 - Current

- Designed, developed, and maintained a children's charity website using Figma and WordPress.
- Collaborated with the product design, product management, and software engineering teams to improve user experience by 87%, including the implementation of microinteractions and parallax scrolling.
- Implemented 11 uniquely identified trends to create an optimal website, based on research and analysis of data reports.
- Built a scalable system capable of withstanding more than a 1000% increase in traffic, and improved the speed of the website by up to 80% using the WP Rocket plugin.
- Used the Yoast SEO plugin to optimize WordPress websites for search engines, including features such as keyword research, title tag and meta description optimization, and content analysis.
- Wrote custom CSS to style the WordPress site, resulting in a more visually appealing and user-friendly experience.
- Teamed up with the development and management teams to create a system that improves the children's charity's ability to track their progress, measure their impact, and manage their website efficiently.

Office Administrator / [Pakistan Consulate - Birmingham, UK](#)

Sept 2020 - Sept 2023

- Implemented and maintained robust security protocols to ensure the safety and confidentiality of sensitive data, including customer information, financial records, and intellectual property.
- Assisted in the management of administrative tasks associated, such as document preparation, record keeping, and scheduling meetings.
- Collaborated with team members to streamline development workflows and improve overall efficiency.
- Contributed to various software development projects by providing administrative support, managing tasks, and tracking progress.
- Demonstrated strong attention to detail and organizational skills, ensuring the accuracy and completeness of all deliverables.

References available on request